

# The GREEN Delusion

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## The GREENS Policies

\*See for yourself on the GREENS web site  
[www.greens.org.au](http://www.greens.org.au)

### ▲ Taxes & the Economy \*

- ▲ Introduce gift & inheritance taxes (incl. family home).
- ▲ Increase company tax (from 30% to 49%).
- ▲ Increase Medicare levy and remove the 30% Private Health Care Rebate.

### ▲ Drugs \*

- ▲ Decriminalise illegal drugs like cannabis (marijuana).
- ▲ "Pilot programs" to test the effectiveness of controlled availability of heroin.
- ▲ "Controlled availability" of cannabis at appropriate venues.
- ▲ "Investigations of options" for the regulated supply of social drugs such as ecstasy.

### ▲ National Security \*

- ▲ Advocate a non-violent civil defence force to protect us from terrorists.
- ▲ Open our borders to all-comers & no asylum seeker to be detained for more than 14 days (even if they're shown not to be refugees).

### ▲ Society \*

- ▲ Reduce the population of Australia by 2 million.
- ▲ Ban the building of new jails and introduce voting rights for *all* criminals.
- ▲ Unconditional dole payments for all.
- ▲ Legalise same-sex marriages.

## The GREENS Credentials

### ▲ Self Interest

- ▲ Bob Brown says he will support whichever party's policies on the environment are better. However, despite unprecedented funding for the environment by the Howard Government, Bob Brown strikes a preference deal with Labor. This confirms the long held suspicion that the GREENS are only *superficially* GREEN.

### ▲ Failed Ideology

- ▲ The GREENS are a broad-based party with an agenda reminiscent of *failed communist & socialist ideologies*.
- ▲ The GREENS have put their own self-interest *well ahead* of any concern for the environment.

### ▲ DON'T FORGET

**A failed economy can't afford to spend anything on protecting the environment.**

**The GREENS dreams are economically unsustainable & socially destructive.**

**The policies of the GREENS are downright dangerous.**

**WHAT  
POLICIES  
ARE  
YOU  
REALLY  
SUPPORTING?**

**FACT**

**The Howard Government  
is committed to our  
Environment.**

- \$1.1 Billion Dollars allocated to the environment for 2004 - 2005. This is almost triple what the previous Government allocated.
- \$400 Million Dollars more than estimates expenditure in 2003 - 2004.
- \$300 Million Dollars allocated to the Natural Heritage Trust.
- \$463.6 Million Dollars allocated for climate change programmes.

This is a responsible and balanced commitment to the environment without the inclusion of the economic, social, health and security policies of The Greens that would ruin Australia.

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## A NEW AND RESPONSIBLE GOVERNMENT WILL...

- Make **sustainability** foremost in environmental policy.
- **Link economic and environmental success together** – a great environment can only be enhanced with a strong economy.
- Eliminate **bureaucratic wastage** and the squandering of precious resources within DOC.
- **Save the Kiwi** through effective predator control.
- Establish new **marine reserves**.
- Abandon plans to **land grab** South Island farms.

A true green Government will have a balanced commitment to the environment without the inclusion of the economic, social, health and security policies of the **GREENS** that would **ruin New Zealand**.

**USE YOUR PARTY VOTE TO  
CHANGE THE GOVERNMENT**

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**BEWARE!**

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### TAXES AND THE ECONOMY

- Introduce **capital gains tax** on family homes.
- Increase petrol and diesel taxes – diesel prices would go up 30%!
- Introduce carbon tax, putting power prices up by a further 10%.
- Support Kyoto protocol – the one billion dollar bungle.
- Add 4 new Government ministries, 6 agencies and 5 commissions – more **bureaucrats** including a resident artist.

### SECURITY / LAW AND ORDER

- Cut defence spending by 50% and disarm our forces.
- Ban the building of new prisons and teach criminals “art”.

### ROADS

- Spend roading money on uneconomic and novel public transport schemes.
- Block construction of vital new roads with tortuous RMA regulations.

### FARMS

- Push high country farmers off their lease-hold land.
- Permit the right-to-roam over private property.

### SOCIETY

- Decriminalise illegal drugs like cannabis (marijuana).
- Offer financial assistance to cannabis growers for alternative employment.
- Create “rainbow” communities. Legalise adoption for same-sex couples.

Sources: [www.greens.org.nz](http://www.greens.org.nz) (July 2005), N.Z.I.E.R. to Treasury (April 2005).

## The GREENS Credentials

### SELF INTEREST

- Jeanette Fitzsimons is pushing for a coalition with the **LABOUR PARTY**. Yet **LABOUR** has culpably neglected our environment.

Consider these facts:

- Kiwi numbers in serious decline due to ineffective predator control.
- 77% of native species in decline.
- 1080 operations have wiped out birdsong in many areas.
- Millions of hectares of DOC controlled land going to ruin.
- No possum and stoat control on 85% of South Island estate.



Despite this, the **GREENS** are posing hand in hand with **LABOUR!** This confirms the long held suspicion that the GREENS are only *superficially* GREEN.

### FAILED IDEOLOGY

- The GREENS have an agenda reminiscent of failed **communist** and **socialist** ideologies. For instance, when Parliament legislated to protect private property rights, the GREENS voted **against** it!
- Tasmania's experiment with a LABOR/GREEN Government was a disaster. They now declare – “never again”.

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Your future and  
the future of your  
family depends  
on the  
**POLICIES**  
that you vote for  
on 18th March,  
2006.

This has been funded by a group of concerned  
Tasmanian families.



WHAT DO THEY  
STAND FOR?

Are you aware of the policies hidden behind the

# ENVIRONMENTAL VENEER?

## family

- ▲ Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual people to have equal access to adoption and fostering services

*Greens Lesbian Gay and Bisexual Policy*

- ▲ Full access to marriage laws for same sex couples in Tasmania

*Greens Media Release - 30th Nov 2005*

## society

- ▲ Introduce the regulated use of cannabis (marijuana)
- ▲ Trial of prescribed heroin to registered users

- ▲ Replace criminal penalties for personal drug use with a system of civil sanctions

*Drug Substance and Addictions Policy, 2006*

## economy

- ▲ Increase the Medicare Levy
- ▲ Increase income tax
- ▲ Increase capital gains tax
- ▲ Introduce death tax, including tax on the sale of the family home

*Greens Economic Policy, Tax and Revenue*

## health

- ▲ Sex change operations to be funded by Medicare

- ▲ Persons to choose their own gender regardless of their sex at birth

*Green Transgender and Intersex Policy*

VOTE AGAINST THIS **DECEPTION!**

# WHY THE GRASS WON'T BE GREENER ON THE OTHER SIDE.

## **SOME OF THE GREENS' POLICIES ARE EXTREME, ECONOMICALLY UNSUSTAINABLE AND SOCIALLY DESTRUCTIVE.**

Don't let your judgement be clouded by a warm fuzzy environmental veneer. Unfortunately, the big picture under the Greens is just downright scary!

The policies they propose would:

- introduce gift and inheritance taxes (including some family homes) and increase the company tax rate
- introduce environment and carbon levies
- increase Medicare levy
- abolish private health insurance rebate
- decriminalise personal drug use
- scrap Work For The Dole
- welcome all refugees e.g. boat people
- give all prisoners voting rights
- scrap new anti-terrorist laws
- cancel all Third World Debt
- legalise same sex marriages.

John Howard has given Australia unprecedented stability and economic prosperity that has enabled \$1.1 billion to be allocated for the environment in 2004-5. Who has the track record, vision and experience to keep Australia's economy strong, so we can afford to protect the environment? John Howard.

**KEEP AUSTRALIA IN SAFE HANDS !  
KEEP JOHN HOWARD  
AS PRIME MINISTER.**

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